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SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

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Dear Sir:

Supplemental to the Information Disclosure Statement filed April 15, 1999, and in accordance with 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.56, 1.97, 1.98 and MPEP § 609, applicants submit the following Disclosure Statement concerning art of which the applicants are aware. A copy of PTO-1449 is enclosed herewith.

The following documents are disclosed in the specification of the application. Copies of the patents are enclosed.

U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS

	Document	Date	Name
AA	5,156,151	Oct.20,1992	Imran

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	Document	Date	Name
AB	5,279,299	Jan.18,1994	Imran
AC	5,415,633	May 16,1995	Lazarus, et al.
AD	5,454,370	Oct.03,1995	Avitall
AE	5,465,717	Nov.15,1995	Imran, et al.
AF	4,920,980	May 01,1990	Jackowski
AG	3,416,531	Dec.17,1968	Edwards
AН	3,190,286	Jun.22,1965	Stokes
ΑI	3,605,725	Sep.20,1971	Bentov
AJ	3,906,938	Sep.23,1975	Fleischhacker
AK	3,521,620	Jul.28,1970	Cook
AL	5,108,368	Apr.28,1992	Hammerslag, et al.
AM	5,273,535	Dec.28,1993	Edwards, et al.
AN	4,960,134	Oct.02,1990	Webster, Jr.
AO	5,318,525	Jun.07,1994	West, et al.
AP	5,203,772	Apr.20,1993	Hammerslag, et al.

The following documents were disclosed in the parent application, U.S. Serial No. 880,080, filed June 20, 1997, Now U.S. Patent No. 5,861,024. Copies of the documents are not included.

U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS

	Document	Date	Name
BA	5,170,803	Dec.15,1992	Hewson, et al.
BB	5,325,845	Jul.05,1994	Adair
BC	5,342,299	Aug.20,1994	Snoke, et al.
BD	5,549,542	Aug.27,1996	Kovalcheck

The following patents were listed on Form PTO-1449 that accompanied an Information Disclosure Statement filed on April 15, 1999. They are listed anew on page 3 of the attached PTO-1449 since no initialed copy of the original PTO-1449 was received. Moreover, copies of the documents are enclosed herewith.

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	Document	Date	Name
CA	5,715,817	Feb.10,1998	Stevens-Wright, et al.
CB	5,702,433	Dec.30,1997	Taylor, et al.
CC	5,662,606	Sep.02,1997	Cimino, et al.
CD	5,656,030	Aug.13,1997	Hunjan, et al.
CE	5,656,029	Aug.12,1997	Imran, et al.
CF	5,588,964	Dec.31,1996	Imran, et al.
CG	5,562,619	Oct.08,1996	Mirarchi, et al.
СН	5,611,777	Mar.18,1997	Bowden, et al.
CI	5,478,330	Dec.26,1995	Imran, et al.
CJ	5,487,757	Jan.30,1996	Truckai, et al.
CK	5,383,852	Jan.24,1995	Stevens-Wright

Under Rule 98(a)(3), no concise explanation of relevance is required for information that is in the English language. Accordingly, the enclosed patents require no further explanation.

Under Rule 97(c)(2), this information shall be considered if filed before the mailing date of a final action and accompanied by a fee in the amount of \$180.00 as required by \$1.17(p). Accordingly, the necessary fee accompanies this information disclosure statement. Any overpayment or deficiency can be charged to Deposit Account No. 06-0308.

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